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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2003, for one (1) month from January 1, 2004 to February 1, 2004.

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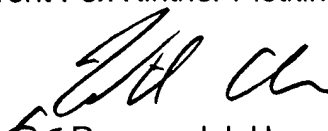
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